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EMPRESS. ALTA. THURSDAY, Dec. 4th, 1930

Price: \$2.00 Per Year.

United Church

Church School 2:00 p.m.
Public Worship, 7:30 p.m.

MUSICAL SERVICE

The choir and orchestra will render the special music.

The program will be as follows:

Orchestra selection,
Vocal solo, "The Beautiful City"

Anthem by Choir, "Hark, Hark My Soul."

Orchestra selection.

Quartette, selected.

Orchestra selection.

We invite you to come and sing praises unto the Lord our God.

Rev. Geo. A. Shields,
Minister.

Make Your Card Selections

We have a very choice assortment of Greeting Cards on hand. We will print your name and address on them on orders of a dozen up at a price below that of any other cards. See this selection. They are extremely choice and dainty, you will be disappointed in buying elsewhere.

Miss Winnie Rowles, who has been with the Chautauqua during the past several months, arrived home Saturday night.

Farewell Party

A social evening of the members of the Ladies' of the Congregation, was held at the home of Mrs. Don MacRae on Wednesday night. The guest of honor was Mrs. J. A. Miller, and the occasion was for the purpose of the ladies bidding her farewell and presenting her with their good wishes for success and happiness in her new home. The evening was passed pleasantly in games and social intercourse. Mrs. D. Lush was winner of the prize for a guessing competition.

Report of Cream Prices

For the week ending Nov. 22nd, 1930, the following prices were reported paid by creameries per pound of butterfat, in several grades of cream, and at the points shown:

Jasper, Dairy, Edmonton, Special grade, 22c; No. 1, 24c; Calgary Creameries, special grade, 20c; No. 1, 27c., No. 2, 24c; Minimum; Special grade, 27c; No. 1, 25c; No. 2, 22c.

Miss Jean Kelley is teaching the class room of Miss A. Gillespie in the local school during the latter's absence.

Bindloss District Farmers' Club Seed Grain Fair

"To be placed on an equal in grain exhibits with Medicine Hat and Lethbridge" were the remarks by a visitor to Medicine Hat Fair and by Mr. W. O. Hay of the Dominion Experimental Farm Lethbridge was a complete surprise to all visitors and Directors of our recent Seed Fair, which proved an undoubtedly success. Three new Directors were elected at the annual meeting being, J. Young, J. Gilham and E. Lorentson, to take the place of those retiring.

The work of the Club comprises a field crops competition, poultry cutting and seed fair. Mr. Nichols of the Poultry Branch was the speaker of the afternoon, and spoke on the exhibits of which he was the judge and gave a very interesting and instructive lecture, answering many questions that were put to him.

The evening session of November 29, 1930, was followed with "Canada," and was opened with a selection from the Empress Orchestra. Community singing, with Mr. Frank Lydsman and Mr. Frank Lydsman, and other selections from the Empress orchestra, were all highly applauded by the audience which filled the Bindloss hall.

Miss Goodall, from the Bureau of Home Economics, was the next speaker. She dealt with the exhibits of which she was the judge, and her talk on these exhibits showed that she was well versed on the various

Silver Wedding Anniversary

The silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Pawlik, was celebrated at their home on November 28. All of the family were present. They received as a presentation from their sons and daughters, a De Luxe Silverware Set and Tray.

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Mr. W. D. Hay, of the Dominion Experimental Farm, Lethbridge was the next speaker and also dealt with the exhibits of which he was the judge that are not forgetting to tell us that our grain exhibits, both in number and quality equalled, if not bettered, anything shown at Lethbridge.

The afternoon session of November 29, 1930, opened with Mr. Nichols again speaking on poultry cutting and seed fair. Many of the ladies present were busy with their pencils and paper taking down recipes.

In the evening of November 21, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hay spoke to us regarding our work, dealing with the various competitions which can be held, also touching on the work of the Experimental Farms and Demonstration Farms.

The total number of exhibits placed before the judges were 131. All classes being well represented.

During the two days fair our

Father of Miss Agnes Gillespie Passes Away

At Pincher Creek

The death took place on Thursday, November 27th, of Dr. Gillespie, of Pincher Creek.

Deceased was the father of Miss Agnes Gillespie, teacher at the public school, Empress. Dr. Gillespie was a man of great

and useful life, having resided in the west some twenty-five years. He was 52 years of age. He was head doctor at the Brocket Indian Reservation Hospital and Government Fish Inspector

for the Pincher Creek dis-

trict, and chairman of the Pincher Creek school district for many years. His death is a severe loss to the community with whose activities he was so closely identified and to his family, of whom there is left to mourn his loss, his widow, daughter, Agnes, and two sons, John and James. He was a Methodist, and member of the United Church.

The funeral service was held on Sunday, November 30, at 2:30 p.m. at the United Church, Pincher Creek, the Rev. N. W. Whitmore officiating. Inter-

menting taking place in the Pincher Creek cemetery.

There were masses of floral

tributes brought up to a total of fifty-five. The directors took great pleasure in issuing all prize money to the winners during the evening.

The Fair ended with an old-time dinner, being well attended by old and young. The directors wish to thank all those who helped to make the fair a success it was, and trust that it will be given the support in future years

Curling Club Prepare For Season's Activities

At a meeting held in the hotel on Monday night, it was decided to go ahead with the curling activities for the season. Charlie Young was appointed caretaker in charge of the rink and it was resolved to get the sheets of ice in shape as speedily as possible. W. Arthur was appointed Secretary in place of J. Rauch. Fees were set at \$7 for men and \$4 for ladies. Each rink to have one lady member.

The local season is to be opened with a novelty 'spin' of mixed doubles on the charge of a committee of two, Messrs. O. Clark and N. P. Storck. In this event non-members may compete by paying a fee; men, \$1; ladies, 50¢.

Light and heat will be supplied free by the Curling Club to the Skating Rink on nights that the former is operating.

"Bob" Cameron's splendid Alsatian police dog is the father of a litter of five pups. There were six, but one has died. According to reports they are a very good litter.

tributes—eight wreaths being sent from Empress—testifying to the high esteem and regard in which the departed doctor and friend had been held. Mourners were present from Lethbridge, Macleod and points two hundred miles distant. It was one of the largest attended funerals that has been held at Pincher Creek. The "Empress Express" joins in the general expressions of sympathy for Miss Gillespie and members of her family in their sudden and sad bereavement.

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Visiting Cards, Business Cards
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List of Exhibits and Winners

Exhibit	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Wheat... Ist. L. Mahura; 2nd, H. Robson; 3rd, E. Lorentson; 4th, R. O. Nichols; 5th, Pete Schneider; 6th, A. D. McKenzie; 7th, W. Hendry				
1st	2nd	3rd	4th	
H. Demorest, J. Gilham	H. Moore	G. G. Savory		
Oats... P. Schneider, I. Lorentson	J. Young	R. O. Nichols		
Barley... J. Young				
Flax... I. Lorentson, B. Tucker				
S. Clover				
Corn... W. J. Hutchinson				
W. Potatoes W. J. Hutchinson, Don MacRae	H. Demorest, W. Bicknell			
Cl. Potatoes J. Barnes	J. Fowlie	W. J. Hutchinson	P. Schneider	
Grass Seed W. Fowlie	H. Moore	W. Fowlie		
D. Poultry Mrs. Macmillan	P. Brown	J. Barnes		
D. Turkey Mrs. Macmillan	Mrs. Young			
Butter... Mrs. G. Savory	Mrs. Young			
Eggs... D. Sturm	P. Brown			
Bread... Mrs. J. Fowlie	Mrs. Kast			
Cake... Mrs. J. Murdoch	Mrs. Fowlie			
Home Canned Fruits—Mrs. I. Lorentson, Mrs. J. Young				
Pickles—Mrs. J. Fowlie, Mrs. Bicknell				
Vegetables—I. Lorentson, J. Fowlie, J. Young				
Needlework—Mrs. J. Fowlie, Mrs. E. Barber				

GIFT SUGGESTIONS

For Dad For Brother For Son

Overalls	Flannel Shirt	Shirt
Flannel Shirt	Wool Windbreakers	Cozy Windbreakers
Fine Pants	Suede Leather Jacket	Overalls
Work Pants	Horsehide Coat	Long Pants
Mackinaw Coat	Fine Pants	Breeches
Leather Coat	Work Pants	Mackinaw Coat
	Mackinaw	Leather Coat
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HEADACHES

Ended by Kruschen

"I was a martyr to headaches, with frequent attacks of dizziness affecting my vision. My occupation is a very strenuous one, and when I first came to give Kruschen Salts a good trial, and from then onwards I seemed quite well. The dizziness, the drowsiness, and the most wonderful thing to me is that I have not had a single headache since which I had discarded some years ago as not being strong enough. I am not averse to a good sleep, and during the early mornings of winter, when the weather is cold, I sleep all the year round, and enjoy an eager for my food, and am that I consider living a joy." (G. F. G.)

Headaches can readily be overcome by drowsiness, a stomach or to partial constipation—a complete眠 may indeed workers suffer from it.

Kruschen Salts go right down to the root of the trouble, and cure it by gently persuading the organs of elimination to function as Nature intended they should.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

France's newest submarine, of the Prometheus, a long-distance cruiser of 1,500 tons, has been launched successfully. The ship is 265 feet long.

A flight of 1,000 miles in the record of 1920 is the hope of Rudolph Page, French-Canadian private and commercial pilot of Montreal.

The end of the present season will find the air operations department of the Ontario forestry branch with a fleet of 150 aircrafts over 14,000 hours down during the year.

Edmund A. Gullion, 17-year-old American youth, won the fifth International Orienteering contest held at Paris, France, last week. He is the second French-Canadian youth of eight nations competed.

General V. I. Karpov, one time commander of the Chinese military forces at Tientsin, under the late Marshal Chang Tso-Lin, has abandoned his military career to become a monk.

W. B. Lambie, the British Government's assistant deputy trade commissioner in New Zealand, has been transferred to Canada, and will take up his duties in Winnipeg in December.

Empire delegates to the Imperial Broadcast at 37 different types of British aircraft, at an airway Airport, England. Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald witnessed the air performance, executed in honor of the overseas visitors.

The question of severance penalties for the adulteration of butter is under the consideration of Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture. A request for such action was recently made by Mr. J. L. Léveillé by the Montreal Produce Association.

No decision has been reached to conduct an investigation into the cost of constructing the new Montreal bridge, states Sir George Perley, acting prime minister. Sir George was asked to report to rumors that the government proposed to institute such an inquiry.

Keeping Down Weeds

Good Work Carried On In Alberta
This Year In Connection With
Weed Eradication

Good work was done in Alberta this year in the keeping of soil free from weeds, and a record was set by the advisory board at the Parliament Buildings at Edmonton. The activities of sixteen supervisors were reviewed, and the direction of the may, field crops, and the like. Recommendations from the board will go to the Department of Agriculture as to next year's work, for which some important undertakings will be suggested.

Great All-Canadian Lake

Great Bear Lake in the Mackenzie district of the North West Territories, is a great lake added to the list of the largest bodies of water situated within Canadian territory. The area is approximately 12,000 square miles.

First Atlantic Steam Crossing

Built in Quebec in 1833 and Canadian owned, the "Royal William" was the first vessel to cross the Atlantic under steam power alone.

Reverse Only Temporary

Britain Not Likely To Abandon
Imperial Air Program

In its present efforts upon the public consciousness, the disaster to the R-101 may be likened to that which overtook the "Titanic" before the war. But the loss of the largest, finest, and fastest trans-Atlantic liner that had ever been built at a time which had discarded some years ago as not being strong enough. I am not averse to a good sleep, and during the early mornings of winter, when the weather is cold, I sleep all the year round, and enjoy an eager for my food, and am that I consider living a joy." (G. F. G.)

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Winnipeg Newspaper Union

(By Annette)



THE FIRST BRISK FALL DAYS

Smart women have adopted the sheer wool frocks for street and sportive wear.

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It's made!

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Thursday, Dec. 4th, 1930

St. Mary's W.A.s are holding a meeting on Saturday evening, December 6, at 8 p.m. sharp, at the home of Mrs. Norris P. Storey.

The regular meeting of the W.M.S. will be held at the home of Mrs. R. L. Arthur, on Wednesday afternoon, December 10, at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. McCune, of Ainsley, Sask., were visitors here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller, and baby son, left today for Canuck, Sask., a town on a new branch line of the C.P.R. in southern Saskatchewan. Mr. Miller has been appointed to the position of depot agent there.

Dr. Laidlow, of Toronto, arrived in town on Tuesday night, and has been practising his profession here with Dr. McNeil since his arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rivers, returned on Monday night from Central Butte, Sask., where they have been visiting relatives. Miss Alice Dodd accompanied them on their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Stewart and children, who have been visiting here, returned to their home at Stettler, on Monday.

The Castle Coombe W.M.S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Rowles, on Sunday, December 14, at 2 p.m. Being the Christmas meeting the children are taking part. All envelopes and mite-boxes should be sent in, as this is the last meeting of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb McCune, and family, of Madison, Sask., were visitors over the week end.

Commandable progress has been made by the Glider Club in the construction of their Glider Plane. The work is pain-takingly slow and needs patience and perseverance. However, the point has now

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AT LEADBETTER

been reached where the putting together of the various parts enables an observer to comprehend the finished design, although the "glider" is far from being completed.

The Bituminous Seals extraction plant near Waterton in 1929, was operated more or less continuously throughout the summer season of 1930, under the supervision of Dr. K. A. Clark. Fifteen thousand gallons of purified bitumen or asphalt was produced during this time. This material was shipped to the Federal Department of Mines and to the Provincial Public Works Department. The latter organization put the asphalt through a standard asphalt plant, and compounded with road aggregate, used it for surfacing a portion of the Fort Saskatchewan trail. Costs of the extraction process are now being compiled from the information obtained during the operation of the plant.

Weather Made To Order
To Test New Varieties
Of Winter Wheats

Owing to the inability of winter wheat (fall sown) to withstand the rigorous winters of Alberta, its practical culture is limited to the south-western portion of the province. One of the greatest advantages of the crop is that it provides an excellent cover during the winter and minimizes soil blowing. The University of Alberta is attempting to produce new varieties which will be hardy, high yielding and equal to the spring wheats in quality. The testing of hybrid strains in the field is very ineffective in most years. In some winters the conditions are so severe that practically all of the plants are killed. In other years such as the winter of 1929-30, all the plants survived. Under such conditions little is learned of the relative merits of different varieties and strains, and this state of affairs may continue for many years.

Large refrigerating rooms have been installed in the new laboratory of the Department of Field Crops for the purpose of studying several problems in which freezing temperatures are involved. The National Research Council of Canada has assisted in installing the equipment.

Now the winter wheats are grown in the greenhouses and then subjected to low temperatures in the refrigerator. The tender plants are killed off and the hardy ones survive and grow to maturity. Thus we learn more about the relative hardiness of different winter wheats in a few weeks in the laboratory than we can in the field over a period of several years. The final test of any new variety, however, should be in the field.

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The Ear

The ear-drum lies at the inner end of the canal which leads into the ear from the outside. This structure is a membrane of considerable strength. It acts as a drumhead, picking up sound waves and transmitting them to the ossicles, the three small bones which lie behind it in the middle ear.

In addition to acting as a drumhead, the ear drum also serves as a barrier to keep out foreign substances. This is one reason why any break in the drum is serious as it exposes the middle ear to infection from without.

In order to hear it is not absolutely necessary that the drum be intact. The extent to which it may interfere with hearing depends upon its size and location of the injury.

Behind the ear-drum is the middle-ear or tympanic cavity. Here are the ossicles, the three small bones forming a series of levers which pass to the internal ear the vibrations received by the ear-drum.

The Eustachian tube, which connects the middle ear with the throat, opens into the middle ear. This tube serves as a passage for air and thus keeps the pressure within the middle ear on the inside of the drum, the same as the air pressure on the outside of the drum. The equality of pressure is important for proper hearing.

If the Eustachian tube be

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comes blocked through inflammation or other causes, air does not get in and hearing is interfered with. If there is an infection of the nose or throat, it may spread to the Eustachian tube, and there is grave danger that if the nose is blown too strenuously, some infection will be forced up the tube and will cause disease of the middle ear. The nose should not be blown forcefully at any time, but to do so when the individual is suffering from a cold in the head is to invite trouble of very serious nature.

The mastoid cells which open into the middle ear have nothing to do with hearing. They are similar to the head sinuses which drain into the nose. They are important because, in so many cases, where there is an infection of the middle ear, this infection spreads into the hollow cavities of the mastoid, the bone being situated behind the ear. When this occurs we find a condition called mastoiditis, which is serious and requires immediate care.

Prevention of these conditions lies in giving attention to the nose and throat. Trouble in the middle ear usually means infection of the nose or throat. Diseases tonsils and adenoids are often responsible for abnormal ear conditions. Prompt and proper treatment of colds, measles and scarlet fever prevent.

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